



JUN 29 2001

Sheet 1 of 1

RECEIVED
13-2000
JUL 2700

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449B/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 1

TRADED

Compl te if Known

Application Number	09/522,750
Filing Date	03/10/00
First Named Inventor	David B. Black
Group Art Unit	2768
Examiner Name	Charles R. Kyle
Attorney Docket Number	48535/268245

OTHER PRIOR ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner
Signature

click

Date
Considered

8/29/02

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. **DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.**

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 2

Complet if Known

Application Number	09/522,750
Filing Date	03/10/00
First Named Inventor	David B. Black
Group Art Unit	2768
Examiner Name	Charles R. Kyle
Attorney Docket Number	48535/268245 (C0375/188130)

May

7 2002

Technology Center 2100
7/2002
(5/188130)

MAY 13 2002

PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner
Signature

Date
Considered

8/29/02

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449B/PTO		Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>		Application Number 09/522,750 Filing Date 03/10/00 First Named Inventor David B. Black Group Art Unit 2768 Examiner Name Charles R. Kyle Attorney Docket Number 48535/268245 (C0375/188130)	<i>RECEIVED</i> <i>MAY 17 2002</i> <i>Technology Center 2100</i>
Sheet	2	of	

OTHER PRIOR ART -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials'	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ²
CIT		International Search Report in PCT patent application no. PCT/US00/06388, search results mailed 04/09/2002.	
CIT		Sarin, "Object-Oriented Workflow Technology in InConcert," Proceedings of COMPCON '96, 1996 IEEE, pp. 446 - 450.	
CIT		Hsu et al., "Work-Flow and Legacy Systems," 4465 BYTE, Vol. 19(1994), July, No. 7, Peterborough, NH, US, pp. 109-116.	

Examiner Signature	Charles R. C.	Date Considered	8/29/02
--------------------	---------------	-----------------	---------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.